

## GUESSING.

What the Next Move of the Forces of Gen. DeWett will be

He Is Hatching Another Coup

By Which He May Still Further Discomfit the British—The Boer Leaders are Urging an Attack Upon the Mines in South Africa.

London, Jan. 17.—The important report received from Johannesburg, that General Dewet has crossed the Vaal and joined forces with the Transvaal commandos, if true, probably means the concentration of 7,000 Boers with several guns, for another big attack. There is a rumor current in Cape Town that several Boer leaders are urging an attack upon the mines. It has been long understood that General Dewet has been anxious to join the invaders in Cape Colony, and this rumor may be spread to cover an attempt to break southward.

As an outcome of the fact that the Boers in several instances have worn khaki, a government notice has been promulgated in Pretoria prohibiting civilians from wearing khaki and notifying all persons who wear this costume, which is likely to be mistaken for the British uniform, that they will render themselves liable to arrest and imprisonment.

The response to the government's call for volunteers is said to be brisk in both London and the provinces. Defensive measures in South Africa pro-

ceed apace. Seven thousand men have joined the city guard in Cape Town and 5,000 others have volunteered in the suburbs.

An additional big gun has been mounted on Table Mountain. A small Boer commando entered Sutherland, cut the telegraph wires, looted the stores and then proceeded northward. The Boers occupied Aberdeen, 40 miles south of Graaf Reinet Tuesday. A unique feature of Kitchener's fighting scouts is the enrollment of 300 Matabele camp followers for riding and leading the spare horses. This is likely to renew the color agitation.

Raiders Pressed.  
London, Jan. 17.—Bennett Burleigh, who has returned to Cape Town, sends to the Daily Telegraph an enigmatical dispatch, dated Jan. 16, saying: "The few recent successes of the Boers are annoying. Twenty thousand reinforcements have arrived and they are very welcome in Cape Colony, where the Dutch decline to rise. The raiders are 60 miles north of town and are being pressed by our troops." This presumably means that Lord Kitchener has sent 20,000 men into Cape Colony.

## THE BOERS ARE BUSY.

London, Jan. 17.—Lord Kitchener reports that a force of 3,000 Boers is concentrating at Carolina, in the eastern part of the Transvaal. General Colville's brigade drove off the Boers near Vantondoe Hoek with a heavy loss.

## FUNCTIONS POSTPONED.

Washington, Jan. 17.—It is officially announced at the White House today that judicial reception set for next Wednesday, has been called off owing to the President's illness. All the social functions at the White House will probably be omitted this season.

## ENGLAND

Had Better Conclude to Accept

The Terms of the Proposed Senate Amendment.

Some of Lansdowne's Followers Are Favorable to a Course Which Would Result in Lapsing the Treaty.

London, Jan. 17.—There is no shadow of doubt that if the opinion of the foreign office is followed Great Britain will regretfully express the inability to comply with the senate amendments to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty or fail to take any action whatever, in which case the treaty will lapse of itself. Several of Lord Lansdowne's advisers favor the latter course. Their feelings can well be judged from a statement of one of the foremost of his advisers, who, replying to a remark that the canal was not worth a row, said: "Perhaps not. But it does not do to apply that principle in every case."

## FIGHTING

Still Continues With the Bolivians.

The Army of the Republic of Acre

Routed and Besieged Their Enemies in the Rubber Forest—A Republic That Refuses to be Crushed.

Rio Janeiro, Jan. 17.—Alarming news, unfavorable to the Bolivian forces now endeavoring to crush the so-called Republic of Acre, is continually arriving from Manaus. The Acre forces routed the Bolivians recently near Capaterra, in the rubber forests. Dispatches add that the Bolivians retreated to Puerto Alonso and are now surrounded by the rebels, and are undergoing a siege. General Lucio Velasco, vice president of Bolivia, is reported to be besieged at Rio Sico, where he took refuge with one of the armies operating in the forests. It is declared that numerous Brazilians are in the ranks of the rebels, most of whom went originally from Brazil into the so-called republic.

## FRYE TELLS

Why He Sent His Resignation

As Superintendent of Schools in Cuba.

Protested Against Certain Changes Which It Was Promised Would be Corrected, But Was Not Done.

Boston, Jan. 17.—Alexis E. Frye, late superintendent of schools in Cuba, who is in Boston, made known his reasons for resigning from his Cuban position after a service of 15 months, saying it was the new school law, which, Mr. Frye said, made him a "figurehead." Mr. Frye says that when he protested against certain of its provisions he was promised they would be corrected. As the changes were not made Mr. Frye resigned. "The hope of Cuba lies in the great middle class," continued Mr. Frye. "Fully 90 per cent of the people are quiet, peaceful citizens. Educate them and there need be no fear for Cuba."

## SENT

Warship to Guard the Interest

Of Americans

Who May be in Venezuelan Territory.

Navy Department Sent Out the Warship Storpion Yesterday

With Instructions to Commander to Avoid Bloodshed and Destruction of Property if Possible.

Washington, Jan. 17.—At the request of the state department the navy department has instructed the commander of the Storpion to proceed at once from La Guaira to Guanaco, Venezuela, to protect American interests, upon reports that the revolutionary movement there is increasing and the attempt is making to take possession of the arms of the New York and Bermudez company.

Commander Sargent of the Storpion has been instructed to avoid bloodshed and the destruction of property if possible. Guanaco is not to be found on the ordinary charts, but is said to be the nearest point to the asphalt concessions accessible to the Storpion, lying up the Orinoco river about two days' run from La Guaira, so that the warship should be at the seat of the trouble before the end of the present week.

The state department also is in receipt of advice to the effect that the Orinoco Shipping and Trading company, two of whose vessels were seized by the Venezuelan government, is an English corporation, but in view of the fact that American capital is invested in the company, it has directed Minister Loomis to use his good offices, as far as possible, to protect these American interests.

## A CHASTITY FUND.

New York, Jan. 17.—The body of a man, with his throat cut from ear to ear and showing other marks of violence, was found in a trunk on a pile of skids at the bulkhead of Pier 11, East river. It was identified two hours later by a woman as the body of Michael Weissberger, an East Side Hebrew, who was employed by a jewelry firm to sell jewelry on the installment plan. Captain Titus declared that the motive for the crime was robbery, and intimated that at least two men were concerned in the murder.

## No Danger of a Quarrel.

London, Jan. 17.—The Daily News, in the course of an editorial dealing with Mr. Edmunds' views regarding the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, says: "Ambiguity is no justification for disregarding a treaty. The argument that a treaty is obsolete, however, is a stronger point. Happily there is not much danger of a quarrel with the United States. All attempts to blow up the coals here have failed. If Lord Lansdowne accepts the new treaty he may fairly expect some concession in return."

## Child Abducted.

Berlin, Ontario, Jan. 16.—A 3-year-old child of Mrs. Katherine Ebel was abducted at noon Tuesday by a man who secured the child under the excuse that he wanted his photograph taken. The woman's husband is in Detroit, where Mrs. Ebel intended to go in a day or two. All attempts to trace the child have been futile. William Ahl, a cripple, who boarded with Mrs. Ebel, has been arrested.

## By a Broken Rail.

Hilliard, Wyo., Jan. 17.—Union Pacific train No. 1 was wrecked near here by a broken rail. Six cars were derailed and two cars were thrown over an embankment. Six persons were injured, including Frank W. Wood of Dayton, O., who suffered a broken arm.

## German Ship Wrecked.

Port Townsend, Wash., Jan. 17.—The German ship Flottbek, reported ashore south of Cape Flattery, is probably a complete wreck, and there is a bare chance of the crew having escaped death.

## INVADERS ARE ACTIVE.

Capetown, Jan. 17.—The invading Boers have occupied and looted Southernland, in the southern part of Cape Colony. It is reported here that Kitchener is preparing a coup to drive the Boers out of Cape Colony.

## QUAY IS SICK.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Senator Quay is sick with grip symptoms. He will leave for Florida tomorrow.

## STEAMER WRECKED.

Capetown, Jan. 17.—The British cruiser, Sybill, is reported wrecked in Lambert's bay on the southwest coast. The entire crew was saved. The Sybill recently landed guns here for the defense of Capetown.

## SERVES HIM RIGHT.

Columbus, Jan. 17.—The State Board of Pardons refused today to pardon Rosslyn H. Ferrell. He must die March 1st.

## THE BISHOP IS BURIED.

London, Jan. 17.—The remains of Rev. Mandell Creighton, the bishop of London, were interred today in St. Paul's Cathedral.

## COLUMBUS

Is Working to Secure the Removal

Of National Headquarters of Mineworkers

From Indianapolis to Ohio Capital.

Former Officers Re-elected on First Ballot at Yesterday's Session.

Columbus, O., Jan. 17.—President Haskins and all the old officers of the Ohio district of the United Mine Workers of America have been re-elected. It required but one ballot in each case. Under the present administration there has been a 50 per cent increase in membership in the past 12 months, and with all outstanding bills paid the treasurer reports over \$5,000 in the treasury. An increase in the present scale was recommended in the reports of the locals. Agitation continues for the removal of national headquarters from Indianapolis to Columbus.

## MOUNT DEAD.

The Ex-Governor of Indiana Expires

Very Suddenly at His Hotel Apartments.

He Had Only Very Recently Retired from the Governorship. He is the Man Who Sheltered Kentucky Taylor.

Indianapolis, Jan. 17.—James A. Mount, who retired Monday from the office of governor of Indiana, died very suddenly Wednesday evening in his apartments at the Denison hotel. He had attended a reception tendered by Mrs. Mount to a number of prominent ladies of the city during the afternoon, and shortly after the guests departed he started out for a walk. Upon his return he became very ill and in a few minutes passed away. Three children, beside Mrs. Mount, are the surviving members of the family. During his term of office Governor Mount was attacked several times by fainting spells, but none of them was serious. It is thought overwork hastened the end. Mr. Mount was 55 years of age and a Republican.

## DUG UP

A Bag Containing a Lot of Gold.

A Suspect Under Arrest Tells an Officer

Where He Had Planted the Stuff and Gives Him a Map of the Yard He Hid It In.

Muncie, Ind., Jan. 17.—It leaked out that two detectives, one from Indianapolis named Jungan, and W. Inghelmer of Lafayette, came to Muncie and dug up a bag containing \$6,000 in gold in a yard near the Shepard saloon. The money is alleged to have been planted by Frank Buck of Lafayette, arrested here last week, charged with horse-stealing. The Lafayette officer took Buck to state's prison, and it is said that en route Buck told the officer where the money was planted and gave him a map of the ground. It is supposed that he was one of the Cuddey kidnapers at Omaha and that the gold is part of the \$15,000 ransom paid by E. A. Cuddey.

## KILLING

Would be Proper Punishment for Cowardly Hazers, Said the Senator.

Some Very Strong Language

Used by the Stand Members of the Upper House Upon the Subject of Hazing. Date

Set for Vote on the Army Bill.

Washington, Jan. 17.—A final vote upon the pending army reorganization bill will be taken by the senate at 4 o'clock Friday under the terms of an agreement that has been reached. Speeches in opposition to the bill were delivered by Mr. Allen (Pop., Neb.), Mr. Teller (Silver Rep., Colo.) and Mr. Butler (Pop., N. C.). Mr. McCumber (Rep., N. D.), made an argument in support of the measure. The feature of the debate was the denunciation of the practice of hazing at the West Point military academy. Mr. Allen, Mr. Money (Miss.) and Mr. McCumber declared it to be an evidence of brutality and cowardice, the Mississippi senator maintaining that a cadet whom others attempted to haze would be justified in killing his assailants. He declared that if he were a cadet upon whom such cowardly brutality were attempted he would kill those who assaulted him if he had to wait a hundred years for the opportunity.

There was another effort in executive session to secure the confirmation of Mr. James S. Harlan to be attorney general of Porto Rico, and the effort failed because of the absence of a quorum. The attempt to reach a vote resulted in an animated scene in which Senators Foraker and Pettigrew were the principal actors. The trouble arose over an apparent reconstruction of what Senator Foraker said concerning the "rule of the supreme court on the insular cases now pending before that tribunal. Senator Pettigrew, in the course of some remarks opposing Mr. Harlan's confirmation, referred to Senator Foraker's speech, and said that the latter had indicated a knowledge of how Justices Harlan and McKenna would hold in the cases pending before the court. Mr. Foraker repeated what he had said, and added that he had meant to say and had said that he had such confidence in the principle of the legislation with reference to our newly acquired possessions that he had

not doubted for a moment the position the court would take when it came to the adjudication of questions under that tribunal. In view of his confidence in the position taken he pooled the idea of bribery by the giving of official place as entirely out of the question.

River and Harbor Bill Passed.  
Washington, Jan. 17.—The river and harbor appropriation bill has been passed by the house. The bill has been under consideration over a week and has been assailed from many quarters, but its friends have stood solidly by it and defeated every amendment to which the river and harbor committee would not agree. The bill passed practically as it came from the committee. It carries slightly less than \$60,000,000, of which \$23,000,000 is in direct appropriations. The section empowering the president to negotiate with Great Britain for the maintenance of suitable levels on the Great Lakes was broadened so as to provide for a joint commission to conduct the negotiations.

## Tillman's Bounty Bill.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The bill of Senator Tillman of South Carolina giving the benefit of bounty laws to soldiers who served in the Confederate armies, but afterward concluded their service in the north, was unanimously agreed to by the house committee on invalid pensions. It affects a number of veterans who were peculiarly circumstanced and whose cases are considered meritorious.

## Against the Jamaican Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Senator Perkins of California made another argument before the senate committee on foreign relations in opposition to the Jamaican reciprocity treaty. He took the ground that if ratified it would work great injury to sugar and fruit industries of the south and to California.

## ROCKEFELLER WEDDING

Was Celebrated at 3:30 This Afternoon. Fortune Given in Presents.

New York, Jan. 17.—Miss Alta Rockefeller, daughter of John D., was married at 3:30 this afternoon to E. Pamelee Prentice at her father's residence. Rev. W. H. P. Faunce, president of Brown University, officiated. A dinner and a small reception followed. The bride's gown was ivory white satin, simply made and was trimmed with point lace. She wore a veil of point lace. The best man was Emerson B. Tuttle, of Chicago. The bride is 30, and has not been much of a society woman. Prentice is 34 years of age.

## RULED AGAINST THEM.

Judge Delivered a Body Blow to the Defendants in Murder Case

Patterson, N. J., Jan. 17.—Assistant Prosecutor, Ralph Shaw, began summing up testimonies for the State in the Boschshuier case this morning. They were brief and to the point. He said the girl was in good health and the defense's claim that one drink of absinthe, one cocktail and two glasses of champagne constitute the deadly dose of poison was absurd. "We demand murder in the first degree. There was the verdict," he concluded. No attempt at oratory, but the speeches were simple and had great effect. Judge Scott followed for defense. He claimed that the defense's story was more reasonable than the States. He said the latter charged impossible crime, he also said that the state had utterly failed to prove that the girl had died from assault. At this point Court interrupted to say: "Jury must understand that if chlorate was given to accomplish the criminal assault the poison is part of the criminal assault. Scott dropped first count immediately after this crushing blow and began arguing on second count, saying that no malice aforethought was proved."

## HOT ONE-HANDED POTTER.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Potter Palmer, the multi millionaire, was fined \$20 and costs today for selling drinks on Sunday at the Palmer House bar. The effect will be to close all saloons, hotels, bars and resorts Sunday, and after midnight.

## CHURCH PROMOTION.

Rome, Jan. 17.—The correspondent of this association is assured that Manager Martinello Papal, delegate at Washington, will be made cardinal at the next consistory. It is also probable that Arch-Bishop Ireland will be promoted to cardinalship.

## 25 SEAMEN LOST.

Island of Mauritius, Jan. 17.—The British steamer Kalsari is reported lost off Unicorn. Twenty-five seamen are drowned, including the Captain.

## THEY DODGE IT.

London, Jan. 17.—The rumor is current that naval reserves about to be mobilized. Admiralty officers neither denies nor confirms the report.

## THE WEATHER.

Ohio—Fair tonight and Friday, except cloudiness and occasional snows along the lake shore.

## A FAMINE EXISTS THERE.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 17.—A virtual famine exists at Circle City. The government is rushing supplies.

## AN ENGLISH MURDER.

London, Jan. 17.—A robber killed Wm. Pearson and Mrs. King in a locked apartment of a railroad train between here and Southampton. The murderer was caught later.

## NEELY MAY BE TRIED.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The Supreme Court today ordered Chas. F. Neely sent to Cuba for trial.



## Headache

Blindness, sour stomach, constipation and all liver ills are cured by Hood's Pills.

The non-irritating cathartic. Price 25 cents of all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

## WITH THE SAGES.

You does not live by bread alone, but by faith, by admiration, by sympathy.—Emerson.

It is the soul which creates to itself a body; the idea which makes to itself a habitation.—Maxim.

Then that has china plates themselves is the most careful not to break the china plates of others.—Barrie.

Cynics are only happy in making the world as barren to others as they have made it for themselves.—George Meredith.

The business of the head is to form a good heart, and not merely to rule an evil one, as is generally imagined.—Sir A. Helps.

We are very apt to measure ourselves by our aspirations instead of our performance. But in truth the conduct of our lives is the only proof of the sincerity of our hearts.—George Eliot.

Surely nothing can be more unmanly or more unworthy of a rational being, than to spend life in idle lamentations because what we or our fathers once believed to be true has now proved to be false.—C. Norden.

He who, when goodness is impressively put before him, exhibits an instinctive loyalty to it, starts forward to take its side, trusts himself to it—such a man has faith, and the root of the matter is in such a man.—Sir J. Seeley.

I will not think any human being the worse, but much the better, for having a broad foundation of seriousness, which the lightest spirits may gracefully illuminate. Playfulness on top of seriousness is not only a charm to others; it is the wise secret of life.—Oakfield.

Depend upon it, there is a difficulty in sticking perseveringly to work made for yourself, which you ought scrupulously to consider before you enter upon it for life. There is an assistance to the whole character in compulsory work, in even the commonest routine drudgery, which deserves to be properly valued before you unbuckle from it.—Oakfield.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 55 Warren street, N. Y.

**Government Honors in Germany.**  
The citizens of Mayence are not much attracted by governmental positions of honor if one is to judge from the way they treated the recent request for volunteer census enumerators. The request embodied the statement that only the fittest candidates for the positions would be selected and that they were to perform their duties as officials of honor. The burgomaster of the city did not receive a single answer and the city administration has had to call on public school teachers, policemen and ex-officials to supply the deficiency.—Chicago News.

## LINGERING LA GRIPPE COUGH.

G. Vacher, 157 Osgood street, Chicago, says: "My wife had a very severe case of la grippe, and it left her with a very bad cough. She tried a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it gave immediate relief. A 50 cent bottle cured her cough entirely." Price 25c and 50c.

H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

## PROVERBS ABOUT WOMEN.

A vain woman is to be feared, for she will sacrifice all for her pride.

Respect always a silent woman; great is the wisdom of the woman that holds her tongue.

When first a woman loves she fears; she fears not to which she has become accustomed.

There is much of philosophy in the subjoined sayings found in Chinese literature and having relation to women:

A woman that respects herself is more beautiful than a single star; more beautiful than many stars at night.

A woman who mistakes her place can never return to where she first was; the path has been covered up from her eyes.

A woman desirous of being seen by men is not trustworthy; fear the glance from her eye.—Omaha Bee.

Cures the cough,  
Soothes and heals the  
inflamed membranes—

DR. JAMES' CHERRY TAR SYRUP.

Easy to take—prompt in results.

At Drug Stores.  
25 Cents a Bottle.



## "Don't Speak"

To the motorman, "is a sign to be seen as the front platform of many cars. It requires all his thought, all his energy and all his strength to pilot his car through crowded streets. The strain tells on him, and some when he gets 'rattled' and has an accident. The surest way to sustain the physical strength and nervous force required by the motorman or railroad man is to keep the stomach in a condition of sound health. When the stomach becomes 'rattled' and food is imperfectly digested and the body is deprived of its necessary nourishment. The nerves are 'strung' and the body weakened. The timely use of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery when the stomach is 'weak' will re-establish the body in vigorous health. It cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, nourishes the nerves and purifies the blood.

"I suffered for four years with pain in my stomach. I could not work, eat, or sleep. I wrote to you about my trouble and you sent me your medicine which I did with good results. I only used four bottles of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and now I am entirely cured, and feel like a new man, and I can highly recommend your medicine to any sufferer."

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**USEFUL KNOWLEDGE.**  
Use old newspapers to brighten up thware.  
Oil of cloves will often cure an aching tooth.  
White of egg beaten up in coffee acts as cream.  
Ink spilt on the carpet is removable with milk.  
A heated knife cuts freshly baked bread well.  
Cocoon oil thickens and darkens the eyebrows.  
Girls should keep their chins up when they walk.  
White of egg brushed over morocco leather freshens it.  
Daily exercise with light dumbbells cures round backs.  
High-heeled boots are known to cause spinal trouble.  
Brown paper under the carpet makes the carpet wear well.  
Palms require little water, but their leaves must be washed.  
Take a light meal only before setting out on a bicycle trip.  
A raw egg swallowed will detach a fish-bone in the throat.  
If a guinea pig wanders about a house the rats flee away.  
Sleep with the window slightly open and you will awake brisk.  
After eating onions munch a sprig of parsley dipped in vinegar.  
Powder clogs the pores of the skin and renders the face coarse.  
Cold water makes the eyes look bright and keeps them strong.  
Candles and soap improve by keeping, and last a long time when used.

**IT GIRDES THE GLOBE.**  
The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It is the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Felons, Aches, Pains and all Skin Eruptions. Only infallible Pile cure. 25c a box at H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

**An Easy-Going State.**  
Bishop Thompson of Mississippi said the other day: "I suppose there is a larger percentage of old men in Mississippi than in any other state—at least, it seems so to me, and I have been in a good many. By old men I mean from 80 to 90. They are not decrepit old men, who hug the fireside, but are quite lively old fellows." "How do you account, bishop, for this large proportion of old men in Mississippi?" asked someone. "Well," said the bishop, "there is no chance to become rich in Mississippi. Everybody knows it and does not worry himself into an early grave trying to."

**SAVE doctors' bills by giving Foley's Honey and Tar to infants and children in time to prevent pneumonia or croup, which are fatal to so many thousands of BABIES.**  
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**Destitute Because Miserly.**  
Patrick McCabe, an old man, was taken to a New York hospital in what appeared to be a destitute condition. His wretched rags were exchanged for comfortable clothing and then the astonished attendants found that he had a chest protector made of 500 bills, the total amount sewed inside of his old flannel shirt being \$350.

**BEAT OUT OF AN INCREASE OF HIS PENSION.**  
A Mexican war veteran and prominent agent writes: "Seeing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough, Croup and Diarrhoea Remedy, I am reminded that as a soldier in Mexico in '47 and '48, I contracted Mexican diarrhoea and this remedy has kept me from getting an increase in my pension for an every renewal of a dose of it restores me." It is unequalled as a quick cure for diarrhoea and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists.

## IN MEXICO CITY.

SIGHTS IN AND ABOUT THE REPUBLIC'S CAPITAL.

The Grand Cathedral—Methodist Hymns as sung in the Spanish Tongue—The Grand Boulevard—Police Police Offices.

(Special Letter.)

There is much of interest to be seen by an American in the City of Mexico, and to see everything worth seeing here will take weeks. The great cathedral is an object of rare interest and as it is open at all hours many visitors go there each day. It is a very old edifice, part of it having been built by Cortez three hundred and more years ago, and additions have been added until now it is one of the great buildings of this age. It fronts on a beautiful park which was utilized by General Scott as a camping place after he had taken the city in 1847.

I, of course, visited the cathedral and observed those at worship, each before a favorite shrine, and came away with a feeling that I had seldom or never witnessed a more impressive scene.

**Methodist Hymns in Spanish.**  
Later I went to the Methodist church which was filled with native members and it was a great lesson to hear these people singing old familiar church hymns in the Spanish language. I had a fancy as I saw people about the city during Sunday that all classes and a great regard for the third commandment, as there was quiet everywhere, albeit there was a clanging of church bells with a measurable frequency.

It is only late in the afternoon when the people become active and then those who have horses and carriages take a drive along the great boulevard, the Paseo de la Reforma. It is a magnificent driveway, and on a Sunday afternoon the elite of the city are to be seen there in great splendor.

As I watched the passing equipages it seemed that nowhere could there be a finer display of turnouts. There were victorias, laundries, broughams, and all the styles of fine vehicles that might be seen along the boulevards of Paris. Then the young gallant was often seen on horseback, his steed gaily caparisoned, while he was dressed generally in rich velvet with gold lace on his short coat and pantaloons legs, reaching to a spur often fashioned with a small bell that tinkled to the movement of the horse. He was all gracefulness as he rode down the boulevard, knowing that the one he most loved would see him at some point along the way. This great highway leads from the heart of the city out to Chapultepec, the summer home of the President. It is two hundred feet wide and lined with eucalyptus trees and at points there are immense flower beds called glorietas. In these places are often placed monuments to the dead, the most conspicuous being one to Cuatemooc, the last of the Aztec Kings, and another to Christopher Columbus. Then at frequent points along both sides of the way are statues of heroes of a more modern time. There is an equestrian statue of Charles IV. of Spain, of heroic mold and probably the largest cast of its kind on this hemisphere.

**The Mother Tongue.**  
Few people in the City of Mexico have any interest in anything pertaining to Spain, as there is an inherent hatred among the masses of the people here for the mother country. It is true they speak the Spanish language, but this only keeps in their remembrance the oppression of the Spanish rulers for centuries past. A rule in the public schools making the teaching of the English language compulsory will be the undoing of the Spanish language here in a generation or two. This shows that there is an awakening in these quiet people, who, now having tasted the sweets of liberty of conscience, will never rest until they are far removed from every vestige of the bonds that once held them. Every one takes a pride in being able to speak the English language, and in their assurance of progress often make ludicrous mistakes. I was introduced to a gentleman who fancied he could speak English fairly well, and as he shook hands with me most cordially, instead of saying "How do you do," as he intended, he eagerly said to me: "Goodby, said, goodby," said. On another occasion I was accosted by a well-dressed, intelligent-looking gentleman who had crossed the street purposely to meet me and with an inquiry spoken slowly, said: "Are you American?" at the same time making a profound bow. I said: "Oh, yes; I am an American." This assured him and now he was going to try his English on me. "I speak se Alinglish," he said, and then carefully collecting himself continued: "How do you do today?" With this he gave a hearty laugh at his accomplishment and bowed himself away with a feeling of the utmost satisfaction.

**The Alameda Park.**  
As I passed along the Paseo I came to a great park called the Alameda. It is a popular place Sunday afternoon,

as the President's band is there playing sweet music. Throngs of men, women and children are in the park and joy seems unconfined. There are dancing, eating, games by children and these continue until late in the night as the park becomes brilliantly lighted. Nearby the park is the pantheon of San Fernando. Here many of the nation's noble dead are entombed, the most noted being Benito Juarez, the first President of the republic, the Liberator of Mexico. His tomb is of granite with his recumbent form resting in the lap of a female figure, a symbol of Mexico, both in white marble, on top of the tomb is the shrine of all patriotic Mexicans and like our own Washington, the name of Benito Juarez will forever be first in the hearts of his countrymen.

**Politeness of the Policemen.**  
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**American Salesmen Best.**  
Consul Hostfeld of Trieste, after announcing that cheap lamps could be sold in Southern Austria to great advantage if American manufacturers would imitate the tactics of Viennese lamp makers and open stores of their own, continues his report as follows: "No native can sell American wares in a foreign country as successfully as an American who is familiar with the language and customs of the country. This has in recent years been demonstrated in every large city of Europe. The American knows what most retailers in Southern Europe, at least, still have to learn, viz: how to advertise, how to display goods, how to meet competition, how to gratify and, at the same time to educate the popular taste, and, above all, he knows how to 'hustle.' It is, moreover, difficult to induce a native retailer to buy foreign wares as long as their sale is still in the tentative stage."

**Bank Note of Hungwen's Refrain.**  
The Chinese have on show in London, in an exhibition of early printing from Japan and China, a bank note issued in the course of the reign of Emperor Hungwen, 1368-99. This is 300 years earlier than the establishment at Stockholm of the first European bank which issued notes. The earliest of bank notes measures eighteen inches by nine.

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Corbin, Ky., Jan. 17.—A riot occurred here as a result of the shooting of James Shotwell by Rolfe White, and several persons were killed and injured. Shotwell is in a precarious condition. The trouble grew out of the fact that White had been paying attention to Shotwell's daughter against the will of the latter. After the shooting White submitted to arrest and was placed in his brother's grocery store, where a guard was placed over him awaiting the arrival of the sheriff. Later a terrific explosion took place under the grocery. So severe was the shock that it tore the building literally to pieces. There were about a dozen persons in the building at the time. Several escaped with slight injuries, while several remain in the debris dead. Immediately after the explosion there was rapid firing in the neighborhood by unknown parties concealed in the darkness. After the shooting Susan Cox was found dead near the wrecked building, having been struck by a stray ball.

**Lynched For Train Wrecking.**

Coala, Fla., Jan. 17.—Norman McKinney, colored, has been lynched for wrecking the Plant system fast train near Dunellon, Sunday night, and the victim implicated two others who may share the same fate if they are caught. McKinney, after being arrested, was questioned so closely and told so many conflicting stories that it was decided to take him to Inverness to the county jail. On their way a mob of 50 or more overpowered the officers and took the prisoner. He was taken back to the scene of the wreck and there confessed, implicating and describing two other men, who have escaped, and for whom a search is being made. McKinney was hanged to a tree.

**Well Known in Ohio.**

New York, Jan. 17.—William Rudolph Bergholz, 68, died at New Rochelle, N. Y., of heart disease. Mr. Bergholz was born in Germany and studied civil engineering at Munich. He came to this country when 22 years of age. He was in the south during the civil war and joined Sherman's army, just before the march to the sea, and was the only engineer with the army in its famous march. He served until the close of the war and was retired as a major. He laid out the Southern Pacific railroad through Texas and built the Alliance and Lake Erie road in Ohio, and three towns in Ohio have been named after him.

**Another Reorganization.**

Stanford University, Cal., Jan. 17.—Professor David Spencer, assistant professor of history, has tendered his resignation. It was immediately accepted. Professor Spencer, who is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, was assistant professor of history at Harvard in 1891 and instructor at the University of Michigan.

**To Care For Convicts.**

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Convicts leaving the penitentiaries with a desire to lead an honest life will be supplied with employment by the Central Howard association, which was formed in Chicago. The new association is named after John Howard, a prison reformer, who lived in England in the early part of the nineteenth century.

**Want McKinley.**

Austin, Jan. 17.—The senate of the Texas legislature adopted by unanimous vote a resolution inviting President McKinley to visit this city and address the Texas legislature in case he comes to Texas in the near future, as is reported he contemplates doing.

**Hoar Gets Six Years More.**

Boston, Jan. 17.—The re-election of George F. Hoar as senator from Massachusetts for the six years beginning March 4, 1901, was formally verified and announced at a joint session of both branches of the general court.

**Debts Discharged.**

New York, Jan. 17.—Judge Brown in the United States court granted a discharge in bankruptcy to Thomas B. Reynolds of this city, formerly of the White Paper company of Ohio, whose liabilities were \$249,000.

**The Weather.**

Indications for Friday: Fair, except snow flurries along the lake shore.

**Lull Wins.**

At New Orleans—Lull, Sakatock, Don Chamado, Drumburg, George Dale, Waterhouse.

At San Francisco—Marcano, Alarcia, Horton, Ada N. Bernata, Astor.

**THE MEAT OF IT.**

Interesting News Notes From All Quarters of the Globe.

Hon. W. A. Clark elected United States senator from Montana.

Barnabas Collins, once an Ohio politician, died at Sacramento, Cal.

At Ashtabula, O., Mrs. John J. Bixler swallowed a fatal dose of carbolic acid.

Senator Tillman unanimously re-elected by South Carolina legislature.

Youngstown (O.) merchants victimized by a strange woman who issued forged checks.

Frank Brown, alleged to have robbed the Newport (Ky.) National bank, reported to be in Cuba.

Moslem tribes in Dahomey openly preparing for rebellion against the sovereignty of King Toffe.

Death claimed Mrs. Mary Jones Nelson, 74, at Knoxville, Tenn. Co-spectuous during the civil war.

Fire destroyed the Aberdeen apartment house, Chicago. Frank Crowell, a mercantile agent, perished.

State department officially advised of the signing by the Chinese plenipotentiaries of the Peking agreement.

**Lyneching After Death.**

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 17.—The funeral of Fred Alexander, the negro who was burned at the stake, was attended only by the undertaker and his assistants. The remains were interred in the potter's field. The coroner has impounded a jury, which viewed the remains before interment, but he has not decided when he will hold an inquest. Miss Thole, who, it is charged, was assaulted by Alexander and threatened with death if she said anything about it, stated that the announcement that she had identified Alexander as her assailant was erroneous.

**Usurer Lewis' Will.**

London, Jan. 17.—Samuel Lewis, the money lender and usurer, who died Sunday, left \$4,000,000, all of which goes, under his will, to his widow, with the exception of £200,000, which is divided among relatives. In his will he expresses a desire that his widow should give in her own name \$400,000 to provide dwellings for the poor of all creeds; £250,000 to the Prince of Wales hospital fund; £100,000 to the Jewish board of guardians of London, and £200,000 to various hospitals.

**Daily Fight Rumors.**

Cincinnati, Jan. 17.—There are rumors here that the contest between Jeffries and Ruhlin at Saengerfest hall Feb. 15 would be called off by the Saengerfest board within 24 hours. This, however, has been denied by Herman Witte, the attorney for the board, and Manager E. G. Cook, the representative of William A. Brady, and others. The fight promoters state that work on remodeling the building will begin on Friday.

**Tom Johnson Bought It.**

London, Jan. 17.—It is understood here that Tom L. Johnson, the American street railroad capitalist, has bought the Baker street and Waterloo underground railroad of the London and Globe Finance corporation, limited.

**A Boxing Bout.**

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 17.—Martin Duffy of Chicago defeated Perry Queenan of Milwaukee in an eight-round boxing contest here. One thousand people witnessed the contest.

**MARKET REPORTS.**

Grain and Stock Prices For Jan. 16.

CHICAGO—Cattle: Good to prime steers, \$5.35 to \$5.40; poor to medium, \$5.05 to \$5.15; stockers and feeders, \$4.75 to \$4.85; cows, \$4.75 to \$4.85; heifers, \$4.65 to \$4.75; calves, \$4.65 to \$4.75; Texas fed steers, \$4.15 to \$4.25; Texas grass steers, \$3.85 to \$3.95; Texas mixed, \$3.85 to \$3.95; calves, \$3.85 to \$3.95; hogs—Mixed, \$4.00 to \$4.10; butchers, \$4.00 to \$4.10; good to choice heavy, \$3.75 to \$3.85; rough heavy, \$3.50 to \$3.60; light, \$3.50 to \$3.60; Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, \$3.75 to \$3.85; fair to choice, \$3.50 to \$3.60; Texas, \$3.50 to \$3.60; native lambs, \$3.25 to \$3.35; western lambs, \$3.00 to \$3.10; Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.05 to \$1.10; Corn—No. 2, 75¢ to 80¢.

CLEVELAND—Cattle: Good to choice smooth, \$4.15 to \$4.25; fair to choice smooth, \$3.95 to \$4.05; dry fed steers, \$3.75 to \$3.85; green fat steers, \$3.50 to \$3.60; 1,200 lbs., \$3.75 to \$3.85; fair to best heifers, \$3.50 to \$3.60; fat extra cows, \$3.25 to \$3.35; poor to medium, \$3.00 to \$3.10; calves, \$3.00 to \$3.10; Texas, \$3.00 to \$3.10; hogs—Mixed, \$4.00 to \$4.10; butchers, \$4.00 to \$4.10; good to choice heavy, \$3.75 to \$3.85; rough heavy, \$3.50 to \$3.60; light, \$3.50 to \$3.60; Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, \$3.75 to \$3.85; fair to choice, \$3.50 to \$3.60; Texas, \$3.50 to \$3.60; native lambs, \$3.25 to \$3.35; western lambs, \$3.00 to \$3.10; Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.05 to \$1.10; Corn—No. 2, 75¢ to 80¢.

PITTSBURGH—Cattle: Choice, \$5.00 to \$5.10; prime, \$5.25 to \$5.35; good, \$4.90 to \$5.00; 1,200 lbs., \$5.00 to \$5.10; fair to best heifers, \$3.50 to \$3.60; fat extra cows, \$3.25 to \$3.35; poor to medium, \$3.00 to \$3.10; calves, \$3.00 to \$3.10; Texas, \$3.00 to \$3.10; hogs—Mixed, \$4.00 to \$4.10; butchers, \$4.00 to \$4.10; good to choice heavy, \$3.75 to \$3.85; rough heavy, \$3.50 to \$3.60; light, \$3.50 to \$3.60; Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, \$3.75 to \$3.85; fair to choice, \$3.50 to \$3.60; Texas, \$3.50 to \$3.60; native lambs, \$3.25 to \$3.35; western lambs, \$3.00 to \$3.10; Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.05 to \$1.10; Corn—No. 2, 75¢ to 80¢.

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**STORYETTES.**

At one of the railway construction works in Glasgow, the other day, a Roman Catholic clergyman, who takes a great interest in the members of his flock engaged at the cutting, saw one of them entering a dram shop. He halted him, but Pat simply looked, and walked in. Waiting till he came out, the reverend gentleman accosted him thus: "Pat, didn't you hear me calling?" "Yes, your reverence, I did, but—but I had only the price of one."

One day, at a large family dinner, Pasteur called the attention of those present to the danger of imbibing germs while eating fruit, and to impress the necessity of caution upon his hearers washed his bunch of grapes in a glass of water. After he had finished the grapes and had for a moment his little speech, being thirsty, he drank from the glass in which the grapes had been washed, thereby arousing much merriment among the irreverent youngsters present.

The other day a newly appointed warden was taken by the prison chaplain into the chapel, where the prisoners were assembled in a body. The chaplain presented him to the company with the remark that he would say a few words. The warden was a bashful man, and unaccustomed to speech-making. He stammered, stuttered, blushed and faltered: "Ladies and—er—no—no—gentle! that is, men and fellow-prisoners—er—I can't make a speech; I—don't know how to make a speech. In fact, all—er—all I can say is—er—that I am very glad indeed to meet so many of you here!"

**A PROMINENT CHICAGO WOMAN SPEAKS.**

Prof. Rora Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Woman's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I will never be without this splendid medicine again."

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**Drove Stage 93,000 Miles.**

With a record of having traveled a sufficient number of miles to have taken him four times around the globe, David E. Little of McConnellsville, Pa., has resigned as stage coach driver, after a service of fifteen years. During these years Little carried over 13,000 passengers across the Cove mountain, among them some of the distinguished men of the country. He has crossed the mountain in his daily trips over 8,000 times, has driven 93,000 miles, and has lived in the coach and on the road 9,000 days of ten hours each. In all this time he has never missed connections with the trains on the other side of the mountain.

**STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.**

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Subscribed and sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

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The old idea that the body sometimes needs a powerful, drastic, purgative pill has been exploded; for Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are perfectly harmless, gently stimulate liver and bowels to expel poisonous matter, cleanse the system and absolutely cure Constipation and Sick Headache. Only 25¢ at H. F. Vankamp's drug store, cor. Main and North streets.

"When the grip left me my nerves and heart were badly affected; but I began taking Dr. Miles' Nerve and Heart Cure and was soon all right."—Wm. Roericht, Eau Claire, Wis.

**It Goes Too Far.**

Some of the best friends of the protective system are afraid of the reaction likely to be induced by the subsidy. The North American quotes Senator Cullom as saying, "I believe there is grave danger that the principle of subsidy for ships and protection for American manufactures may in future be arrayed against each other."

**SHIP SUBSIDY BILL.**

IT IS INDEFENSIBLE FROM EVERY POINT OF VIEW.

Even the Protectionists Cannot Defend It—The New York Press Vigorously Opposes the Measure—The Bill Designed For the Personal Gain of a Few Big Shipowners.

A striking feature of the pending discussion of the Hanna-Frye-Payne subsidy proposals is the extent to which political and economic theories are relegated to the rear. The reason for this is plain, however, when the bill itself is considered.

Politically our people are divided as to the theory of paternalism between protection and free trade, and as to each, while its opponents may not concede its propriety, on the one hand they are prompt to appreciate the weight of certain considerations urged in its behalf and to recognize the sincerity with which these are pressed, and on the other, as to matters not involved by their opposing theories, they are apt to agree on first principles. Here, for example, the general distrust of the legislation proposed and the growing opposition to it involve no political theory.

From a free trade standpoint one could defend a bill to facilitate export of American products in ships owned by American citizens by granting to American capital that freedom to purchase foreign ships which by our laws is given American shipbuilders and owners to purchase foreign materials and supplies, including labor, and from a protectionist standpoint one could champion a measure which would try to attain the same end by distributing government aid either to exporters inducing shipments abroad or to vessel owners in such way as to prompt them to carry export cargoes at lower rates. The trouble with this bill, however, is that on inspection it has become clear to our citizens of all political beliefs that as an economic measure it is equally indefensible from either a "free trade" or a "protection" standpoint; that our export trade, our shipbuilding industries, our ocean carrying business, as such, are each equally far from the aims of the concern of the promoters of this bill—that is, it is in no proper sense even a protective or other public measure at all, but simply a steal, defended by hypocritical concern for interests which it is not intended to subserve and worthy of support only by those whose expected share in the proceeds shall be such as to justify the loss, recent or little, of self respect and reputation involved in thus concurring to debase the public for personal gain.

The present issue, therefore, is not for or against any economic theory, but on behalf of the taxpaying public, that earns its own living, against tax eating capitalists, to whom, for example, the most representative "protection" newspaper of the United States, the Republican New York Press, thus editorially alludes in its issue of Dec. 15, 1900:

**THE SHIP SUBSIDY JOYNA.**

The "false gentlemen" of the American line are engaged in an entirely legitimate business. They are carrying American mails, and they ought to be paid so that they can carry them in American boats and on American lines instead of sticking to little, slow, old Panics and New Yorks. They should not be let off again with the building of St. Pauls and St. Louis, but compelled to the construction of vessels which the postoffice would select with the sole eye which it is bound to have to the safety of service. The increase of the mail subsidy of 21 cents results with 23 cents is the typical example of the for nothing of the day. It is time, not to call it anything harsher, upon its face. But, whatever it is, let the government deal with it separately upon its merits and not mud-slinging products of American "farm, mine, forest and factory" which these vessels—having no cargo space for grain, coal, lumber and locomotives—never carry.

With this separation the bill would be without local opposition in congress or the country, and we fail to see why it should lose the votes of the many senators and representatives whom the American line has been carrying to Europe and back every summer for the last ten years in anticipation of this particular roll call. It may be true of our government, as Hamilton said of the English, that it cannot be worked without bribery, but there is no reason why the measure and men which require bribery should be mixed up with those which do not.

Just before the late Christmas vacation it was announced that arrangements had been made to "take in" all recalcitrant shipping interests, and it may therefore be expected that with great flourish of trumpets there will soon be announced amendments which, it will be claimed, will so broaden the scope of the bill as to make it truly popular. In view, however, of three years' experience with amendments to this very bill, announced in just this way, we may be entirely confident that, so far as concerns the lien's share of the subsidy provided for, it will not be diverted from the pockets of those who devise this bill.

It may well be, indeed, that Dives has quieted Lazarus with a few cold bottles of medicine, and the little dogs with a distribution of bones, but that he has actually reformed and has either given his goods to the poor or stopped stealing their earnings for himself is too much to believe. The Hanna-Griscom coterie is most decidedly "not made that way." It will be easy at any moment by watching its attitude to know the character of the bill in whatever shape it may be amended. If it is really made such as mainly to benefit the interests it professes to favor, it will be practically without supporters, except new ones. If the Hanna-Griscom interests are still clamorous in behalf of any amended bill, it will mean that they who know best just what will be its effect are still convinced that it is in the main for their personal benefit.

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Mirrored velvet, which matches the dress in color, whether it is cloth or silk, is as much in vogue this year as it was ten years ago.

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One or two of the lighter or darker shades of your gown, combined with a refined touch of gold, silver or steel, supply the latest elements of stylish decoration.

There are no plain taffeta waists this year. They are all tucked in those tiny pinch tucks, the finest that can be made on the machine, and are given a varied appearance by the width allowed between them.

Many of the newer stocks are made entirely of satin. Women who are skillful with their needles can make very pretty ones for Christmas presents. Some of them are in a solid color stock and tie, and others have the stock of one color and the tie of another.

The full dress hat of the season, universally worn, is the toque, with a large Alsatian bow for its principal trimming and a brooch or buckle in gold, silver or iridescent beads. Next comes the Gainsborough hat with plumes, fruit or autumn leaves added to its velvet band and bow.

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**Growth of a Free Library.**

The rapid growth of a library which has today over 2,000,000 volumes, was opened in 1845 with 1,300 volumes. It includes today, among other things, about 250,000 volumes relating to French history and 611,000 volumes relating to the history of other countries.

"I had grip three months; could not sleep; pain all over and headache very bad. Dr. Miles' Nerve, Pain Pills and Liver Pills made me well." Mrs. E. C. Bowler, Waterloo, Ind.

**North Carolina Negro Hospital.**

R. J. Reynolds has given \$5,000, half the amount needed for the construction and operation of a negro hospital at Winston-Salem, N. C. The negroes of the state have raised the remainder of the \$10,000. The hospital will be operated in connection with the Slater Industrial school.

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No. 221 North Main Street, Lima, O.  
TELEPHONE CALL, No. 84.

## CHARGE

Of Embezzlement Against  
E. N. Lewis.

Warrant Was Issued for Him, But  
the Constable Reports Him  
Out of Town.

Justice Duffield, on an affidavit sworn to by Charles Crockett, issued a warrant yesterday evening for the arrest of E. N. Lewis on the charge of embezzlement. Lewis formerly practiced law in Lima and had rooms in the Jacobs block. He left here several months ago and went West for his health, and Constable Creman, who was given the warrant to serve reported that Lewis was not in the city. The amount alleged to have been embezzled is but \$30.

## SHERIFF

Brings in a Bad Little Girl  
from Bluffton.

She Will Probably be Sent to De-  
laware to be Trained in a Manner  
Suited Womanhood.

Sheriff Bogart returned yesterday afternoon from Bluffton, where he went to get possession of Pauline Sigrist, a girl just in her teens, who is drifting into a life of shame and wickedness. The affidavit was filed in probate court by C. U. Widener and Judge Miller has set the hearing for 4:30 this afternoon.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

F. G. Gillham, aged 23, and Ida Storrs, aged 21, both of Lima.

Benjamin F. Everett, aged 26, of Monroe township, and Louis P. Shafer, aged 17, of Lima.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

E. B. Smith, et al. to A. S. Brown, lot 5482, Maplewood Place, \$235.  
Homer M. Davies to H. H. Reaker, lot 230 and part of 223 in Delphos \$1,050.

## Masco's Thanksgiving Bird.

Mrs. Mary Lemon of 53 Java street, Greenpoint, is the envy of her neighbors. While she was dressing a turkey on Thanksgiving day there dropped from its crop a glittering diamond. Mrs. Lemon suspended the preparation for dinner long enough to run to the home of a neighbor and exhibit her prize, the news of which soon spread through the neighborhood. And for the remainder of the day Mrs. Lemon was kept busy exhibiting the diamond to many admiring friends. The diamond was taken yesterday to a jeweler in Manhattan avenue, who said it weighed nearly a carat, was finely cut, of excellent color, and worth about \$100. Mrs. Lemon bought the turkey at a store in Franklin avenue, but the dealer does not know where it was raised.

Life-Saving Service Statistics.  
The cost of maintaining the life saving service during the last year was \$1,535,938. The amount of property it saved was in round figures \$7,500,000, in addition to 2,007 lives.

A Control's Mine Dependents.  
Mme. Schumann-Heink, the famous grand opera dramatic contralto, supported by her singing an invalid husband and pays for the education of her eight children.

## HIBERNIANS

Of Local Division No. 1  
Entertain.

Pleasing Event Held in the  
Wheeler Hall.

Excellent Musical Program Ren-  
dered Was Followed by an  
Enjoyable Informal  
Dance.

The entertainment given in the Wheeler hall last night by Division No. 1, of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was one of the most enjoyable and successful events of the kind of the season. The attendance was large and the audience was an appreciative one. The following excellent programme was well rendered and each number received hearty applause: Overture—Miss Alice Cunningham; Duet—Fairly Moonlight—Misses Scully and Gorman; Recitation—Misses Scully and Gorman; Solo—"Too Late"—Mr. Phil Minnigh; Song—"I'll Break Up This Jamboe"—Mr. Tim Daley; Recitation—Helene Thambori; Song—"The Ghost of a Coon"—Miss Breta Gorman; Song—"The Ghost of a Coon"—Mr. Peter Laughlin; Song and Dance—Miss Justus Lawlor; Song—"Every Race Has a Flag But a Coon"—by the Two Johns; Glean and Malloy; Finale—"By the Big Four"—The Jersey Lilly and Old Farmer Grimes. After the programme was concluded the members of the society and their guests enjoyed an informal dance which lasted until a late hour.

## LITTLE GIRL

Run Down and Injured by a  
Delivery Wagon.

The Five Year Old Daughter of John  
McMullen the Victim of an  
Accident Today.

Osie, the five year old daughter of John McMullen, of 607 1/2 south Main street, was run down and painfully injured by a horse and a grocery delivery wagon at Main and Kibby streets at noon today. The little girl was attempting to cross Main street when the horse which was being driven by a boy came along at a rapid rate of speed and knocked her down. The horse and vehicle passed over her but fortunately she was not trampled by the animal's hoofs. She was badly bruised about the head and face but is not thought to be seriously injured.

## DELIGHTFUL TRIPS TO MEXICO.

With the birth of the New Century, the passenger department of the popular Erie Railroad company desires to bring to the attention of its patrons the advantages of a tour through Mexico and how quickly, cheaply and comfortably the journey can be made. Our people are fast awakening to the attractions of our sister Republic and the tide of travel for health, wealth and pleasure is rapidly increasing to this interesting and fascinating country, which, with its wealth of antiquities, vast resources, magnificent scenery and climate of "perpetual spring," stands unrivaled as the most wonderful all-the-year-round resort on the globe. The Mexico of today is a New World compared to a generation ago. It is no longer "Old Mexico." She is an ambitious marcher in the procession of nations. Mexico has no peer in universal progress. There is advancement everywhere; material, intellectual and moral. She has forty railroads and seven thousand miles of track and the transportation facilities are practically up to date, having all the comforts of modern travel—Pullman drawing-room buffet sleeping cars are run through to the City of Mexico, daily, from Kansas City, St. Louis, San Antonio, New Orleans and Laredo.

Round trip tickets by the various routes to points in Mexico are on sale every day in the year at remarkably low rates, at all coupon ticket offices of the Erie Railroad, bearing limit of nine months, with stop-over privileges. For time tables, maps and any additional information will be cheerfully furnished upon application in person, or by letter to Mr. F. C. McCoy, ticket agent of the Erie Railroad company.

## GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Close May wheat 77; corn 38 1/4; oats 25 1/2; pork 14 1/2.

Townsend's wholesale oysters cheap.

## ANOTHER

Gazette Pipe Dream is  
Turned Loose.

Visions of the Dead Hero  
Were Transformed

Into a "Secret" Meeting of the  
Local Pure Food Distributors'  
Association Held Last  
Evening.

The Gazette sleuth will have to take the Keely again. He tackled the pipe again last night and his recent visions of the "dead sailor hero" and the C. H. & D. "strike" were transformed into a "secret" meeting of the local Pure Food Distributors' Association in which, according to the pipe story published this morning, the retail grocers of the city who are in favor of 6 o'clock closing inaugurated "an effort to have the wholesale dealers refuse to sell the bucking dealers which request will have behind it the quiet suggestion that goods will be purchased elsewhere if the wholesalers don't acquiesce."

The pipe story further says: "The event was secret but it must have been spirited as it lasted two hours and a half."

The facts of the Association meeting are simply that the organization held its regular session in the Gazette hall, above the pipe den and with the door wide open the members and others present openly, publicly and harmoniously discussed the various phases of the 6 o'clock closing proposition. The following open letter from the secretary of the Pure Food Distributors' Association is self explanatory:

The Times-Democrat, Lima, O.  
Gentlemen:—I see that the Republican Gazette has made another blunder in stating that the meeting held by the food distributors last night was a secret session.

It was our regular meeting night, as adopted at our previous meeting, and was freely and openly talked by all that we were to get together to have an understanding as to the time we should close. The doors were wide open, and no one was refused admission.

There has been no movement whatever in the association whereby the wholesale dealers should refuse to sell goods to anyone. All of the merchants whether members of the Association or not, have a perfect liberty to buy goods wherever they can get them, as far as the Association is concerned. Yours respectfully,  
C. M. CHOWN, Secretary.

## BY FIRE

A Residence Was Damaged  
This Morning.

Considerable Loss Sustained by  
Mrs. Catherine Malcahy—No  
Insurance on Property.

About 9:30 o'clock this morning the north side fire department was called out by an alarm from box 12, at McDonald and McKibben streets, and making the run in good time the fire lads found a good-sized fire in the upper portion of Mrs. Catherine Malcahy's residence, at 455 north West street. They used the chemicals with good effect, but the flames had gained such headway that they were compelled to turn on one stream of water. The firemen did good work and saved the building, but damage to the extent of \$150 or \$200 was done. The loss is a total one to Mrs. Malcahy, who had no insurance on the building.

The fire is supposed to have originated from a spark from a fire above the shed kitchen which adjoins the rear of the main portion of the building.

## SALVATION ARMY.

Major Dublin, of the Salvation Army headquarters at Cleveland, will have charge of the services in the Salvation Army hall next Sabbath. In the afternoon there will be the dedication of Captain and Mrs. Westcott's baby, and in the evening service, there will be a public commissioning of subjects. Everybody rally up and give the major a hearty welcome to this city. There will be a free will offering taken at the door.

JOHN WESTACOTT, Capt.

## MORE MAY GO.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The cruiser Hartford and Lancaster may be ordered to Venezuela also in view of the asphalt trouble.

Rabbits and squirrels at Townsend's.

## REMAINS

Of Mrs. A. B. Curtis Laid to  
Rest This Morning.

Funeral Was Held at St. Rose  
Church and Was Attended by  
Many Friends.

The remains of Mrs. A. B. Curtis, whose death was mentioned in yesterday's issue of the TIMES-DEMOCRAT, arrived here this morning on the C. H. & D. paper train, and were removed at once to St. Rose church where the funeral services were held. Rev. A. E. Manning celebrated the high mass of requiem, at the conclusion of which he preached a touching and beautiful funeral sermon from the text, "Blessed are they who die in the Lord, for their works do follow them." The casket was opened in the vestibule of the church to give an opportunity to the many friends of the deceased to view her remains. The pall bearers were F. F. Galsneau, L. Ferkel, Thomas Dunfield and Thomas Fitzgerald.

The following relatives from out of the city were present at the funeral services: Chas. B. and D. W. Curtis and wives, Miss Anna Curtis, A. B. Curtis and family, C. H. Curtis and F. C. Curtis, of Dayton, and William Glenn, of Fort Wayne.

Burial was made in the family plot in Woodlawn cemetery.

## NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Crystal Ice & Coal Co., of Lima, Ohio, for the election of a board of directors and transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the hotel Norval parlors, Monday, January 21st, 1901, at 2 p. m. By order of board of directors.  
J. A. DUTTON, Secretary.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take; perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

## THE IDLER.

The revival services at the Grace M. E. church were greatly appreciated on Wednesday night. There were three converted and five united with the church. There will be special services tonight. The choral society will meet the pastor at the church at 7:30 o'clock.

The T. and T. club will meet with Dr. and Mrs. T. K. Jacobs on Friday evening, January 25th, instead of January 18th.

By the departure from this city of H. B. Zartman, who leaves the C. H. & D. to accept a higher position in the service of the Clover Leaf railroad at Frankfort, Ind., Lima loses one of her best young men and no one will feel the loss greater than the Lima Lodge of Elks, of which organization Mr. Zartman is the efficient secretary. All of Mr. Zartman's friends are sorry to know that he is going to leave Lima but at the same time they appreciate his worthiness of the advancement he is making and they rejoice with him in his merited success. That success may always attend his efforts is the earnest wish of his wide circle of friends and the good right hand of fellowship will always be extended to him in this city.

Captain J. R. Welch, of Co. F, Second regiment, Spencerville, has resigned.

## The Elks met tonight.

Part of Young Planets.  
German physicians are considering the best modes of treating a disease which they have found to affect many young pianists in that music-loving country. At the recent medical congress in Berlin considerable attention was devoted to this subject by the assembled scientists. Many of them declared that the disease is one of the brain and analogous to that which afflicts copyists, who write much, and violinists, who use their fingers a great deal. One distinguished surgeon declared that he had several times discovered an excessive inflammation of the nerves of the arms, which was the direct result of too much piano playing.

He also said that young girls who attend conservatories of music are liable to suffer from a special weakness because their hands are not large enough for the exercises which they are required to practice, and that for this reason it might be advisable to construct pianos somewhat smaller than the ordinary ones specially adapted for the use of young girls who are required to practice a good deal.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. E. P. Green has recovered from an attack of the grip at Canasoga, N. Y., by the use of Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

Among the victims of the grip epidemic now so prevalent, F. Coyte is now recovering at Canton, O., by the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

W. E. Nihells, of St. Louis, Mo., who was down with grip, is reported much improved. He used Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

The friends of Mrs. L. Donlon will be pleased to learn of her recovery from grip, at her home in Bay City, Mich., through the use of Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pills.

Everybody says that J. W. Udy is looking splendid since his recovery from the grip at his home in Des Moines, Iowa. They all know that Dr. Miles' Nervine was what cured him.

Prosecuting Attorney, Charles L. DeWaele, who has passed the three-score mile stone, had a time with grip, but when seen at his home in Roscommon, Mich., the other day, he said Dr. Miles' Nervine was what cured him.

At nearly three score and ten Mrs. Galen Humphrey was fighting against odds when the grip attacked her; but she took Dr. Miles' Nervine, and now her neighbors in Wareham, Mass., remark on how well she is looking.

After an illness of five weeks from the grip, Mrs. Harriett Jackson is again about and looking fine. She began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine after the fourth week. Her home is in Bowling Green, Mo.

## NOTICE OF ELECTION.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens Loan and Building Co., of Lima, for the election of directors, and such other business as may be brought up, will be held on Friday, January 13, 1901, at the office of the company, at 7 p. m.  
L. A. FEITZ, Secretary.

## INTENSE SUFFERING.

FROM DYSPEPSIA AND STOMACH TROUBLES.  
Instantly Relieved and Permanently Cured by Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

A New Discovery, but not a Patent Medicine.

Dr. Redwell relates an interesting account of what he considers a remarkable case of acute stomach trouble and chronic dyspepsia by the use of the new discovery, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. He says: "The patient was a man who had suffered, to my knowledge, for years with dyspepsia. Everything he ate seemed to sour and create gases in the stomach. He had pains like rheumatism in the back, shoulder blades and limbs, fullness and distress after eating, poor appetite and loss of flesh; the heart became affected, causing palpitation and sleeplessness at night."

"I gave him powerful nerve tonics and blood remedies, but to no purpose. As an experiment I finally bought a 50 cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at a drug store and gave them to him. Almost immediate relief was given and after he had used four boxes he was to all appearances fully cured."

"There was no more acidity or sour, watery risings, no bloating after meals, the appetite was vigorous and he had gained between 10 and 12 pounds in weight of solid healthy flesh."

"Although Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are advertised and sold in drug stores, yet I consider them a most valuable addition to any physician's line of remedies, as they are perfectly harmless and can be given to children or invalids or in any condition of the stomach, with perfect safety, being harmless and containing essences, pure pepsin and Golden Seal."

"Without any question they are the safest, most effective cure for indigestion, biliousness, constipation and all derangements of the stomach, however slight or severe."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are made by the F. A. Stuart Co., of Marshall, Mich., and are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package. Little book on stomach diseases mailed free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

"I had been in bed three weeks with grip when my husband brought me Dr. Miles' Nervine, Pain Pills and Nerve and Liver Pills. I was cured."—Mrs. J. Reiner, Franklin, Ind.

The county treasurer's office will be kept open Thursday, Friday and Saturday night. 0-2t

Scratch, scratch, scratch; unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles—horrible plague. Doan's Ointment cures. Never fails. At all drug stores, 50 cents.

When doctors fail try Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia, constipation; invigorates the whole system.

## SHERIFF'S SALE

Case No. 9972. Page 318.  
The Tecumseh Gravel Co., plaintiff  
vs.  
Wilbert A. Carey, et al., defendants.  
Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Ohio, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, THE 16th DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1901,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the City of Lima and Shawnee township, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to wit:

And known as the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section number seventeen (17) in township number four (4) south, range six (6) east, containing forty (40) acres of land.

Also, a part of the south half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-six (36) township three (3) south, range six (6) east, being in the city of Lima, Ohio, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point where the east line of the Shawnee wagon road intersects the north line of Kibby street, running thence east on the north line of Kibby street one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet thence in a northerly direction one hundred and ninety-five (195) feet more or less to a point in the south line of tract of land owned by E. F. Davis sixty-one (61) feet east of the east line of said Shawnee wagon road, thence west sixty-one (61) feet to the east line of said Shawnee wagon road, thence southerly on the east line of said Shawnee wagon road to the place of beginning.

Tract of land appraised at \$1400.00 House and lot appraised at \$1200.00 Total appraisement \$2600.00 Terms of sale: Cash.

E. A. BOGART,  
Sheriff, Allen County, O.

Lima, Ohio, January 18, 1901.  
Bentley & Richie, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

## A RESOLUTION.

Providing For the Construction of Sidewalks on South Pine Street, in Front of Lots Nos. 1998, 1999 and 2000.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima as follows:

Sec. 1. That it is necessary to construct sidewalks on south Pine street in the city of Lima, in front of lots Nos. 1998, 1999 and 2000, and the owner of each of said lots is hereby required to construct a sidewalk in front of his respective lot within thirty days after receiving notice of the adoption of this resolution.

Sec. 2. That such sidewalks shall be constructed in all respects in accordance with the general sidewalk ordinances of the city, and under supervision and to the satisfaction of the City Civil Engineer, and the Council.

Sec. 3. That if the owner of any said lots refuses or neglects to construct the same within said period of thirty days after receiving notice of the adoption of this resolution, then the said city of Lima shall cause the same to be constructed in the manner provided in section two above, and that the cost and expense thereof shall be assessed against the respective lot in front of which the same is constructed.

Sec. 4. That the Mayor of the city be and he is directed to cause notice of the adoption of this resolution to be served upon all the owners of property abutting upon said street, between said points, who are residents of Allen county, in the manner prescribed by law.

Adopted January 14th, 1901.

R. E. DAVIS,  
President of the Council.

C. E. LYNCH, City Clerk.  
Jan 16-2t

## ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In pursuance of an order of the Probate Court of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1901, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, the following described real estate, situated in the city of Lima, county of Allen and state of Ohio, to wit:

Beginning at a point on the west line of McDonald street, in the city of Lima, Ohio, and forty (40) feet south of the north line of the southeast quarter of section number thirty-six (36) township number three (3) south of range number six (6) east, in said county, thence west parallel with the north line of said southeast quarter of said section number thirty-six (36), four hundred (400) feet to a point; thence south parallel with the west line of said McDonald street two hundred and fifty (250) feet to a point; thence east parallel with the north line of said southeast quarter of said section number thirty-six (36) four hundred (400) feet to the west line of McDonald street; thence on the west line of said McDonald street two hundred and fifty (250) feet to the place of beginning.

Part of the above estate of Alfred C. Baxter.

Appraised at fifteen thousand three hundred (\$15,300.00) dollars.

Terms of sale, cash.

SAMUEL A. BAXTER,  
Administrator of the estate of  
Carrie B. Baxter, deceased.

Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock,  
Attorneys.

## NOTICE

The third and final account of A. D. Miller, guardian of Rachel J. Miller, will be for hearing on Saturday, the 9th day of February, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio.

(Seal) M. J. KELLY, Jr.,  
Clerk of Courts, Allen County, O.

# Save Your Money

By Taking Advantage of

## Mrs. F. Light's Sacrifice Sale.

Before inventory we must get rid of surplus stock. We notice too many goods in several different departments. This is not a sale of old stuff carried from year to year, but new, clean goods bought this season. We will not carry goods from one season to next, so these goods must be sold. We want the money, and must make room for Spring Goods, and you are making money when you take advantage of this sale. We will not even stop at cost, but will sell below cost in many things.

### All Trimmed Hats

#### a Less Than Half Price.

Fancy Feathers, Plumes, Tips, Ribbons and all Trimmings cut way down.

### Children's Head-wear, Hoods and Caps, Half Price.

Ladies' Jackets worth \$20.00 at \$10.00  
Ladies' Jackets worth 19.00 at 9.50  
Ladies' Jackets worth 18.00 at 9.00  
Ladies' Jackets worth 14.00 at 7.00  
Ladies' Jackets worth 12.50 at 6.25  
Ladies' Jackets worth 10.00 at 5.00  
Ladies' Jackets worth 9.00 at 4.50

### Tailor-Made Suits t Less Than Half Price

To Close Them Out.

#### Separate Skirts at Half Price

Wrappers worth \$1.50, at .80c  
Wrappers worth 1.75, at .85c  
Dressing Sacques worth \$3.00, at 1.50  
Dressing Sacques worth 2.50, at 1.25  
Dressing Sacques worth 2.25, at 1.12  
Dressing Sacques worth 1.50, at .75c  
Dressing Sacques worth 1.25, at .62c  
Underskirts worth \$3.75, at 1.87c  
Underskirts worth 3.25, at 1.62c  
Underskirts worth 1.75, at .87c  
Silk Waists worth \$6.50, \$5.50 at 3.25  
French Flannel Waists worth \$4.50, at 2.25  
French Flannel Waists worth 3.75, at 1.87c  
French Flannel Waists worth \$3.00, at 1.50  
Flannel Waists worth \$2.50, at 1.25  
Flannel Waists worth 2.00, at 1.00  
Flannel Waists worth 1.50, at .75c

### Hose, Underwear, Corsets, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Pocket Books, Pillow Tops, Belts,

And many other articles too numerous to mention. In fact we will sell every thing in the store at COST and BELOW to reduce the stock quickly.

### Now is your Greatest Opportunity to

#### SAVE MONEY

—AT—

## Mrs. F. Light's

134 North Main St.





## A SUIT OF WHITE.

IN every cake of Ivory Soap there are 100 complete suits of rich, creamy lather. Before dressing, put on a suit of Ivory Soap. Cover the entire body from head to foot with lather. Take the suit off with tepid water and you will remove with it all the impurities of the body which have been carried to the surface through the pores. Use a pure soap for this.

IVORY SOAP—99 1/4% PER CENT. PURE.

## FEAR

Of the Texas Steer Abating.

The Big Gusher

Cannot Injure the Lima Oil Industry.

Its Enormous Production is Only Suitable for Use as Fuel Oil.

Latest Estimates of the Beaumont Strike's Output Range from Eight to Seventeen Thousand Barrels.

The big well near Beaumont, Texas, continues to flow at an enormous rate, but by no means as much as some reports have made it appear. Yesterday a correspondent had a conversation with a dozen different men and to the question as to the amount of the flow all answered above 8,000 barrels. Some went as high as 17,000. But it is showing signs of weakening, as the oil does not shoot as high as formerly.

The greatest excitement ever witnessed in this state is now on in this place says a Beaumont dispatch. Land and lot owners, in some cases, have realized more than they ever expected to in this life. Every house in the town is filled with strangers. Many of them are men of large means, who have come from almost every state in the union with a view of catching on. Money flows with a gush only equaled by the Guffey and Lucas wells. The great floods of oil are being controlled as well as possible, but there are many thousands of barrels headed for the ocean that will never be caught.

Everybody fears fire, but it has been escaped all right up to the present. Some progress was made today in the work of shutting the well in, but it will be several days, perhaps, before it can be accomplished. There is so much oil around the well that it is almost impossible for the workmen to get near enough to accomplish anything.

## NO Decline.

There was no decline in the market yesterday and the oil producers breathed somewhat easier. The reports from Beaumont, Texas, as given above are not so terrorizing as they were at the beginning. The Times-Democrat has previously noted the gravity of the oil, which is 22 degrees. This has been substantially verified by later reports to parties in Pittsburgh. It is of the utmost significance to the trade of this country that this fact should be so established. The Beaumont variety is fuel oil. When it is said it should be sufficient to establish the fact that as a competitor in the illuminating market of the world it can cut no figure. But there is one thing as certain as that the

Beaumont well is gushing, there are chances that fuel commodities will be cheapened in the near future.

This well will operate to the advantage of the oil trade itself after a season says the Toledo Times. Anything that would tend to lower the price of coal would be a benefit sure. With California increasing its output at a rapid rate, Arizona reaching out for a position in the producing column, Old Mexico likewise laying claim to such distinction and lastly Texas with a Russian geyser it would seem that the fuel trade of the country should be distributed at least a little.

But there is room for all that can be obtained of such supplies. Even Texas itself can consume all that this and several more just like it can furnish. But the question arises will they ever find another well in that country equal to it? There are forty chances to one that they never will. In Canada early in the 60's they found a well that threatened to swamp the township and the county in which it was situated. It filled great dykes that had been thrown up as high as a man could throw the dirt until they overflowed and for a time the land owners of the country surrounding prepared to move and some of them actually did so. But the old thing blew itself out, relieved the pressure and that was the last and only well of its kind ever found in the country. Nothing but the smallest species of pumpers have ever been obtained in the country since. Americans by the hundreds have at various times entered the country and made experiments in the hope of striking something after the order of the great Lambton county geyser. In nearly all cases they have returned if not richer at least a little wiser. May they not do likewise in the case of the Texas "steer?"

It is said that Mayor Jones is on the road towards home having parted company with the biggest excitement since the days of red hot Pittsburgh, Penn. He, however, may have secured his slice and is satisfied to divide up not only the day but the territory as well.

## OBITUARY.

Nancy J. Hooks, daughter of Peter and Catherine Bull, was born May 6, 1847, departed this life January 3, 1901, aged 53 years, 7 months and 27 days. She was born in Mercer county, near Rockford, Ohio, and was married February 23, 1871, to A. A. Hooks. By which union were born 3 children, one of which preceded her to the better land two years ago. She leaves a husband, two sons and four brothers, one sister and a host of friends to mourn their loss, but their loss was her gain. She was converted in her 20th year, and united with the Christian Union church, and from that time has lived a faithful Christian until death. She bore her long sickness without a murmur of complaint and died happy in the Savior's love. When she realized that consumption had fastened itself upon her, and she could not get well, she often wished the Savior would come and carry her home. The funeral was preached to a large congregation at the Mt. Olive church, in Mercer county near her birth place by the officiating minister, Rev. Peter A. Miller, after which the remains were laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery near by.

## PAIR

Of Peddlers Under Arrest

For a Robbery

That Occurred Yesterday Afternoon.

A Syrian Pack Peddler Beaten and Robbed by Two Highway Bandits.

The Injured Victim Identifies One Prisoner, a Horse and Buggy and Some of the Alleged Stolen Goods.

William Collins, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., and Ed. Corbett, formerly of Lafayette, this county, are prisoners in the county jail, awaiting a preliminary hearing in mayor's court on charges of highway robbery. They were arrested at Ed. Botkins' livery barn this morning by Sergeant Caddy and one of them, Collins, was identified by the man he is charged with having robbed.

The victim of the alleged robbery was Joseph Jacob, a native of Syria, who travels about this country on foot selling cheap jewelry, towels, handkerchiefs and other small articles which he carries in packs strapped upon his back. He was on his way to this city and when at a point about seven miles north of town on the Gomez road, two men drove up to him with a horse and buggy. They stopped

## IN FRONT OF HIM

and gathering up some stones from the road began to strike him with them, knocking him down in the mud and beating him upon the head and breast. After overpowering him the men searched his clothes and the two packs he carried, taking a number of articles from the latter and securing \$50 in cash from his pockets. After taking what they wanted the robbers sprang into their buggy and drove away turning down a cross road that led to the west.

The Syrian, bruised and lamenting the loss of his money, hastened on to this city and

## REPORTED THE LOSS

to the police about 6 o'clock last evening.

This morning sergeant Caddy learned that two men with a rig answering the description of that which the robbers had, were at Botkins livery barn, having come into the city during the night. Caddy arrested the two men and when the Syrian saw them at the police station he promptly identified Collins, stating that he was one of the men who assaulted him. He then went to the livery barn with the sergeant and picked out Collins' horse and buggy. He also found some towels in the outfit belonging to the other peddlers that he identified as his property.

The two prisoners pleaded not guilty when arraigned before the mayor and the case was set for hearing next Monday. The Syrian was also sent to the county jail to be held as a witness.

"My stomach was affected by grip and I could eat nothing but crackers and milk. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and Pain Pills and the trouble disappeared."—Mrs. J. Lindsey, Montrose, Minn.

Linen Sale all this week at Carroll &amp; Cooney's.

## NINETY-SEVEN

Additions Made to the South Side Church of Christ.

A great audience assembled last evening to enjoy a fine service. Rev. Clarence Mitchell preached the first in a series to young men on "Jesus the One All Together Lovely." Two additional last night, making 97. A baptismal service was kept last evening. Tonight special music and the extending of the right hand of Christian fellowship. The meeting will be three weeks old tonight.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the household remedy.

## THE METELLUS THOMSON CO.

LIMA'S ONE AND ONLY CASH STORE.

WE BEG LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE THAT BEGINNING

Today, Thursday, Jan. 17,

WE INAUGURATE A

Nine Days Sale

Greatest ever known in Lima. We have bought the Frank Kern Department Store stock of

Silks and Fine Dress Goods.

For 7 days we shall sell these elegant Dress Fabrics, consisting of all wool and all silk, for

ONE-HALF PRICE.

TAKE THIS OFFER IN CONNECTION WITH

Our Sale of Table Linens, Our Sale of Furs, Our Sale of Jackets and Suits, Our Sale of Ribbons, Our Sale of Hosiery, Our Sale of Underwear, Millinery, Kid Gloves and Corsets

And you get the opportunity of a lifetime to invest your money. Welcome everyone to these abundant bargains.

The Metellus Thomson Co.

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## JUDGE

Has No Patience with Violators of the Law

And the Mansfield Rioters are Trembling.

Dowie Elders are Getting Revenge for Rough Treatment at the Hands of the Mob.

The Dowie elders, who have persistently fought for a foothold in the city of Mansfield against the angry protests of the mob, are now reaping the success which finally attended their efforts. A telegram from that city says:

"When the case of the State vs. Elmer Hart, who was indicted for riot in connection with the Dowie troubles here, was called in common pleas court yesterday morning, the counsel for the defense attempted to secure a postponement on account of the absence of an important witness, but Judge Wolfe refused to allow any further delay. Then the defense sought to show prejudice on the part of the court, which would disqualify the judge from hearing the case. The court declared itself competent to hear the case and ordered the trial to proceed. The counsel for the defense then took another tack and declined to bring the defendant into the court room on the ground that he might be recognized and therefore incriminate himself. The prosecuting attorney demanded that the judge order that the defendant be brought into court, but the judge declined to do so, and the trial proceeded. Previous hearing of Dowie riot cases before Judge Wolfe has shown that the court will have no mercy on rioters and the balance of the persons under indictment are greatly disturbed over their prospects. In the meantime, the Dowieites here are holding services every Sunday without interference.

"When I was prostrated with grip and my heart and nerves were in bad shape, Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Cure gave me new life and health."—Mrs. Geo. Cille, Elgin, Ill.

## Faurot Opera House

Thursday, Jan. 17.

The Greatest Domestic Comedy of the age.

The Missouri Girl.

UP-TO-DATE.

NEW SONGS, DANCES, SPECIALTIES.

ALL NEW SCENERY.

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If I had Grip I would use Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Dr. Miles' Nervine.

Sold at all druggists.

## WANTED.

FOR RENT—A boarding house on east Wayne street. The house is in good condition. References required. Apply at T. P. Kevill's grocery, 201 east Wayne street. 717

WANTED—Cook at French House. Apply at once. 17

FOR SALE—An old established produce commission house, Toledo, O. For particulars, address M. Prosser, 424-426 Monroe street, Toledo, Ohio. 81-101

FOR SALE—A 7 room house on south Metcalf street for sale cheap. H. B. Longworth & Co. 81-17

## NOTICE TO RED MEN.

Your presence is requested at the wigwam promptly at 7:30 o'clock tonight. Installation of officers and Warriors degree. Warriors and braves prepare their keeneest scalp, knives and weightiest war clubs. By order of Sachem. SOLOMON RUFF.

## LUSH &amp; BANNISTER,

DENTISTS.

Have the most pleasant and best equipped DENTAL OFFICE in the city of Lima.

They assure you polite attention, careful treatment, durable work and prices within easy reach of all.

Hours 8 a. m.—5:30 p. m.

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## Groceries!

We sell as fine as we can for as little as we can. The best for those who want the best. You place the order, we do the rest. Daily needs at needed prices. Standard goods at standard prices. Everything as fresh and good as they can be had anywhere. Drop in with your order, we will please you. Up-to-date store of

JAMES S. SMITH, GROCER. Both Phones 127.

## Head-quarters

FOR

## A Word About Welsbach Gas Mantles.

There are today many varieties of gas mantles offered for sale at prices varying from 10 cents or less to 35 cents each; that many are worth—less has been the experience of those who have used them. Any article is really cheap only in proportion to its durability, and with gas mantles this is especially true.

The genuine Welsbach mantle stands at the head, as the test mantle money can buy, but their higher price has heretofore caused many to buy something costing less.

The Lima Gas Company has made an arrangement whereby it can sell the genuine Welsbach mantle at 15 cents; and a complete lamp with shade, mica chimney and Welsbach mantle at 50 cents.

All mantles and lamps are put on and adjusted by a competent man and no charge is made for the service.

Telephone calls are promptly answered and supplies delivered to any part of the city.

We do all the work and thereby insure you a satisfactory light.

You have read of the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and you should have perfect confidence in its merit. It will do you good.



## LUMBER

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THEO. FEIST'S,

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These little pills will effectively cure more than half the ills of life. Their action on the liver is prompt and mild but certain.

**Biliousness, Headache, Constipation, Indigestion, and all ailments of the liver can be cured by Simon's Little Liver Pills.**

40 for 10c at druggists or  
**SIMON'S MEDICINE CO., ST. LOUIS, MO.**

**Widening of London Bridge.**  
The widening of London bridge will be one of the most interesting street alterations that modern London has witnessed. It is proposed to take into the normal width of the bridge the space now represented by the "basin" which occurs above the piers. The space so gained will be given to the footways on either side.

**What Shall We Have for Desert?**  
This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it by saying that the desert is a vast and fertile land. It is a small quarto volume and was published in 1870. It was bought by Dodd, Mead & Co. of New York. The work was in possession of Lord Arbury, who, upon the death of his father, sold his collection.

**High Price for a Book.**  
Denton's "New York," the first book dealing with that locality, brought \$2,000 at a sale in London a few days ago. It is a small quarto volume and was published in 1870. It was bought by Dodd, Mead & Co. of New York. The work was in possession of Lord Arbury, who, upon the death of his father, sold his collection.

**MONEY TO LOAN.**  
We have a large sum of money to loan on city property and improved farm lands at the VERY LOWEST RATE OF INTEREST with the privilege of paying part or all at any interest paying day. Persons wishing "CASH" MONEY and on SHORT NOTICE will find it to their interest to call.

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# UNPARALLELED.

During the two weeks ending January 11, 1901

## 468

Subscriptions were received for THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT, Lima's Newspaper, and the subscriptions are coming in just as rapidly this week,

### OUR WAY . . . . .

Of demonstrating the phenomenal growth of our subscription list:

Lima, Ohio, January 16, 1901.

During the two weeks ending, Friday, Jan. 12, 1901, there were received in the counting room of The Times-Democrat, 468 subscriptions to the daily edition of that newspaper.

T. A. COLLINS,  
Manager of Circulation Department.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of January, 1901.

[SEAL.]

WILLIAM H. STOLZENBACH, Notary Public, Allen County, O.

## PRESS

### Comments on the Situation.

### The Prize Fight

### In Lima Caused Excitement for a Day

### And the Managers Were Compelled to Order a Postponement.

### Ministers Met at Justice Duffield's Office to Have the Necessary Warrants for Arrest of Principals.

While the managers of the Lima Athletic club contend that the only reason for declaring off the contest between Kid Boop and Big Mackey, which was on account of their inability to secure a suitable hall, those who went after the affair with the intention of stopping it on legal grounds are satisfied with the steps they took and feel that their opposition was directly responsible for the failure of the plans. It got down to real business yesterday afternoon when several local ministers and Rev. Z. B. Campbell, of Ada, went before Justice Duffield and asked for warrants to be issued that would cause the arrest of the principals who were in training for a fight, and the demand that they be required to furnish a bond not to engage in a fight.

It had been decided early in the morning by manager Moore that the fight could not be pulled off in Lima with any chance of success so far as finances were concerned as the expenses already incurred were too heavy to suggest the use of a room that could not seat several hundred spectators and at the same time provide space for an 18 foot ring. The one place open was found to be inadequate for the purpose intended, and this information was conveyed by wire to the parties interested at Findlay.

The ministers, however, were not satisfied with that conclusion and feared a coup that would deprive them of any legal interference at the last moment and they therefore took the precaution to put everything in readiness for an arrest. The climax that would have followed such a course is prevented by the prompt action of the promoters in declaring the fight off for the present at least and the only way that bouts of the genuine variety can be carried to a successful issue is to secure without any question a hall that will seat enough people to guarantee the expenses and have enough in the purse to encourage the men who enter the arena. At this time that one great necessity seems entirely out of the question and Lima is in as bad a boat as Cincinnati so far as prize fights are concerned. The controversy has stirred up considerable comment and several neighboring exchanges, including the Findlay papers have made note of the opposition, some of the views being given as follows:

Tell Them It's All Off.

The ministers of Lima are making an effort to prevent the Mackey-Boop prize fight which is scheduled to be pulled off in that city tomorrow night.

A committee composed of Revs. Thomson, of the Market street Presbyterian and Fieley, of the Trinity M. E. churches has been appointed to wait upon Mayor McComb in regard to this matter but as yet they have not been able to secure an interview with his honor. While the ministers say the fight will not come off, the promoters are equally confident that it will and are making extensive preparations.—Findlay Courier.

And They Got 'Em.

Whether the Boop-Mackey fight contest will take place in Lima Thursday night is just now undecided. The opera house or music hall cannot be secured, and Wheeler hall has been refused the pugs. The ministerial association is after 'em.—Delphos Herald.

Findlay Sports Disappointed.

Con Riley received a telegram yesterday from L. C. Moore, manager of the Lima athletic club, announcing that the Mackey-Boop boxing contest had been declared off. The cause of the difficulties was not given in the telegram, but it is understood that the opposition was not made by the authorities, but by several women's societies. The announcement that the fight will not take place will greatly disappoint a large number of Findlayites who intended to witness the bout. A special train had been chartered for the occasion and it was assured that fully 200 would go to Lima from Findlay.—Findlay Republican.

Take It Back.

Lima objects to being made the headquarters of a gang of robbers, yet the town encourages prize fights and the like.—Van Wert Bulletin.

"My heart was badly affected by an attack of grip and I suffered intense agony until I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Cure. It made me a well man." S. D. Holman, Irsburg, Vt.

### ANOTHER

### Pugilist is After a Fight With Bayliff.

### Al. Tracy of Massachusetts, is at Findlay to Meet Either Dan or Andy Yates.

"Al. Tracy, of Massachusetts, another well-known pugilist, has arrived in Findlay with the intention of making his headquarters in this city," says the Findlay Republican.

"Though not well-known in this section, Tracy has the reputation of being a remarkably fast fighter. His best weight is about 154 pounds, though he can fight ten pounds heavier. Tracy, while well versed in the science of boxing, has the reputation of being a veritable whirlwind in the ring and is at his man incessantly till some sort of a decision is reached. Mr. Tracy is training in this city for a bout with a prominent Lima heavyweight, the mill to take place in Lima during the latter part of this month. Dan Bayliff agreed to go on with Tracy, but may be compelled to withdraw on account of a broken hand, which he received in a fight with a Detroit colored pugilist. In case Bayliff is not able to fight, a Lima brawler named Yates will take his place.

"Grip robbed me of my sleep and I was nearly crazy with neuralgia and headache. Dr. Miles' Pain Pills and Nerve Cure cured me."—Mrs. Pearl Bush, Holland, Mich.

P. I. S. H. at Townsend's.

## KUHNS

### Kept Posted by Deputy Sheriff.

### That Official to be Removed From Office.

### And Ohio Prison Officials Expect to Recapture Defiant Desperado Within the Next Ten Days.

The board of managers of the Ohio Penitentiary confidently believe that Marvin Kuhns will be landed inside the walls within 10 days. They recently sent a Deputy Warden to Indiana to investigate the cause of the delay in apprehending Kuhns on the warrant issued by Governor Mount on Governor Nash's demand that he be extradited. The emissary found that Kuhns was in Albany, Ind., beyond any doubt, and that he is in constant correspondence with a Deputy Sheriff, who has been keeping him posted on all moves looking toward his capture and return to the Ohio prison.

Representations have been made to Governor Duffield, and it is anticipated that action will be taken within the next few days in such a way that Kuhns cannot guard against it, nor can he be warned in time to make his escape. As a concomitant of Kuhns' sensational defiance of the Indiana authorities, it is possible that action will be taken to remove one of the Indiana officials from office for negligence in performing the duties of his office.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

E. L. Morton, A. B. King, Alex. Sheek, J. B. Brown, Barney Lindeman and H. M. Davies, all of Delphos, were business visitors at the county seat yesterday.

Ray Neville, of Findlay, was a visitor in Lima yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Curran, of north Jefferson street, are in Garrett, Ind., attending the marriage of Mrs. Curran's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Taubken and Mr. and Mrs. Will Taubken, of north Elizabeth street, were in Botkins today attending the funeral of Henry Taubken.

Mr. and Mrs. George Daniels, of south West street, are visiting friends in Butler, Ind.

Ed. Maher is seriously ill at the home of his mother, 667 north Jackson street, suffering from a severe attack of la grippe.

### CANNOT LIVE.

Mrs. Fielding W. Hall Reported Dying in the Hospital.

Mrs. Fielding W. Hall, the colored woman, who was seriously burned by falling upon a heated stove, when stricken with epilepsy at her home, 513 Pennsylvania avenue, Saturday evening, was reported to be dying at the city hospital at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

### THIS IS WHAT THEY SAY.

"Those who take Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, eczema, eruptions, catarrh, rheumatism or dyspepsia, say it cures promptly and permanently, even after all other preparations fail. You may take this medicine with the utmost confidence that it will do you good. What it has done for others you have every reason to believe it will do for you.

Constipation cured by Hood's Pills. 25c.

## CASE

### Is Said to be a Peculiar One

### And Surgeons

### Will be Present at the Operation

### For the Relief of Brakeman Jeffries Who Was Injured on the C. H. & D.

The Erie Road is Equipping Some Fine Trains for Use During the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo.

Casper L. Jeffries, who was injured at a small station on the north end of the C. H. & D. road about three months ago, and who has been unfit for duty since, went to Cincinnati this morning where he will be operated upon by eminent surgeons. Jeffries was employed as a brakeman and while assisting to lift a barrel of whiskey from the ground to the platform, the strain caused a rupture of a serious and peculiar nature.

His case attracted the attention of local surgeons, who advised an operation, and the company arranged for him to be treated at the Cincinnati hospital free of expense to him. Dr. Muzzy, who is the road's physician at that point will assist Dr. Walker, the specialist, in the effort to locate and adjust the injury, and since the rupture is said to have brought about complications never as yet reported, the operation will attract many of the medical fraternity.

Brakeman Jeffries came to Lima from Elwood, Ind., and his father and brother will meet him in Cincinnati and remain to learn the results of the trying ordeal.

### THE ERIE GETTING READY.

The Erie appears to be the first in the field with new equipment designed especially for the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo. An entirely new train has just come out at Cincinnati, which is said to be one of the finest on the road. It will be pulled by a large and powerful engine, capable of making a very high rate of speed. The train is new from one end to the other. Other coaches are in process of construction which will be out in due time and will be added to the facilities. The Erie is getting ready to make a run for the Buffalo business.

Yesterday three new sixty-foot baggage cars came out. These are in great demand nowadays for handling theatrical business. Many of the companies are running to spectacular scenic effects, and the stages being larger, the scenery demands longer cars. There is such a demand for sixty-foot cars that they are being built very largely. Formerly most theatrical business could be handled with a forty-five-foot car.

### NOTES.

L. W. Barnes, blacksmith in the C. H. & D. shops, who has been laid up for the past week at his home on north Park avenue suffering a severe attack of the grip, is slightly improved.

Fireman Frank Luken, of the L. E. & W., is planning a trip to Macon, Ga., and rumor has it that he will not return in single harness. Frank was a member of Company C, Second Ohio regiment, and while the regiment was encamped at Macon, the rumored prospective bride became "A soldier's sweetheart."

Traveling Auditor Thompson, of the C. H. & D., is calling on the agents of the road.

### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Cattle receipts 11,000, steady to shade lower; hogs receipts 29,000 active at yesterday's average; sheep receipts 15,000 steady to 10 cents lower.

### TOWNSEND'S FISH.

White, Pike, Trout, Catfish, Herring, Smelts, Oysters, Pickeral.

Linen Sale all this week at Carroll & Cooney's.

Rabbits and squirrels at Townsend's.

G. E. BLUEM.

57 Public Square.

G. E. BLUEM.

# Extraordinary Sale

## Cloaks, Suits, Jackets, Silk Waists, Flannel Waists and Dress Goods.

The most remarkable values will be found in this closing sale preparatory to our invoicing time.

### Wool Dress Goods.

54 inches wide, worth \$1.00 to \$1.25 per yard, for 49c.

### Wool Dress Goods.

38 inches wide, worth 50c, for 25c.

### Dress Goods

36 inches wide, worth 25c, for 12 1-2c.

### Wool Blankets.

Great values at 1-2 and 1-3 less than their real value.

### Silk Waists.

A small lot of Silk Waists at HALF PRICE.

### Jackets,

Nobby styles, at 1-2 and 1-3 less the regular price.

### Ladies' Suits.

Ready-to-wear at 1-2 and 1-3 less the regular price.

### Flannel Waists

At bargain prices to close.

### Lace Curtains,

Broken lots at 1-3 off.

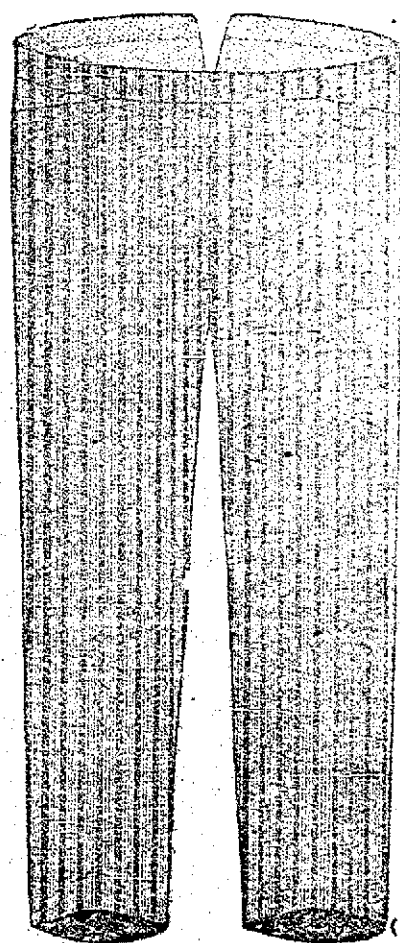
# G. E. Bluem.

57 PUBLIC SQUARE.

Dry Goods.

Dress Goods.

Suit House.



## Michael's Pants Sale.

We have started a special sale on all our Men's Pants. All \$3.00 and \$3.50 grades reduced to

## \$2.48.

## MICHAEL'S.

See them in our window. We have all sizes and can fit you.

### HOME GUARDS OF AMERICA.

Members of Buckeye-Heme, No. 18, Home Guards of America, will take notice that on Friday evening next, we have our yearly installation of officers. The Supreme Counsellor has signified his intention to be with us if possible, also a class is to be initiated, after which, a supper and musical program will close the evening's affair. Let all attend and bring their wives and sweethearts.

P. LAUGHLIN, Secy. M. F. LEVINSON, Counsellor.

"I was in bed five weeks with the grip—nerves shattered, stomach and liver badly deranged. Was cured with Dr. Miles' Nerve and Nerve and Liver Pills."—D. C. Walker, Hallsville, O.

### TO THE LADIES.

Now is the time to buy your tailor-made suits. All have just opened up a ladies' tailoring parlor in this city. I have collected all the latest novelties in quality and in style and all garments are made to measure in Lima by skillful workmen. I also do dry cleaning. All suits will be sold at reduced prices beginning Jan. 15th until Feb. 15th. We guarantee all work and will save you money.

S. J. COX.

Room at Opera House Block, Lima, O. Take the Elevator.

### LOOK AT THIS!

### BANEY & SHEPHERD

THE BARBERS.

In the Metropolitan block basement will give you a hair cut or shave that is smooth as a ribbon.

### Faurot Opera House. Friday and Saturday, Jan. 18 and 19.

## Dainty Patee Burlesquers.

20 Beautiful Choristers. An All Star Olio. Morrisey and Rich. Carroll and Ellston. Eddie DeVoe. Jeannette and Shaw. The Grubbs. Three Sisters Leon, the world's greatest novelty acrobats. 2-NEW BURLETTAS-2